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VIA ECF Filing and First Class Mail

Honorable Richard M. Berman United States District Judge United States District Court Southern District of New York 40 Centre Street - Courtroom 706 New York, New York 10007

Re: ENG V. ONE SOURCE PRINTING & GRAPHICS, INC., et al

Index No.: 08 CV 02444 (RMB)

Dear Judge Berman:

I am an attorney with Hoey King Toker & Epstein and we represent defendant One Source Printing in the above captioned matter. ¹ I write to request an adjournment of the scheduling conference that is currently scheduled for May 1, 2008.

The instant case was brought by plaintiff pursuant to 29 U.S.C. §§ 2601 ("FMLA") in which plaintiff claims that he was terminated from One Source for taking FMLA leave. Plaintiff also bring a state law claim of defamation in which he alleges that the individually named defendant Sean Burke made defamatory statements about plaintiff.

The scheduling conference is currently scheduled to take place on May 1, 2008. I, however, am scheduled to give a presentation in San Diego during the week of April 28, 2008. I will also be away on vacation from May 27 to June 2, 2008. Plaintiff's counsel has been informed of and has consented to this request for an adjournment. No previous requests have been made.

Accordingly, I respectfully request that the scheduling conference be adjourned from May 1st to June 4th or to a date and time more convenient for the Court. Thank you for your consideration of this request.

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Upon information and belief, the individually named defendant Sean Burke has not yet been served in this matter.

Respectfully submitted,

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